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Washington R C Chapter, No. 27, meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 52, meets every fourth Monday.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR—Meets every second and fourth Monday in each month.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Meets every first Wednesday of each month.

L. and N. TIME TABLE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

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6 22	12 03	........Booker........	5 47	1 47
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6 05	11 37	.....Woodlawn......	6 03	2 13
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5 40	11 15	......Bardstown......	6 23	2 55
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THE MAINE.

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She rode the waters in merry sport,
Bound for Havana, the Cuban port.

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Thought they would e'er see home again.

In open fight, should battle be,
The Maine would be the last to flee.

But the ship ne'er from the bay did go,
For the hand of treachery laid her low.

To arms! To arms! Let this outrage
Dishonor not our history's page!

Revenge! Revenge, what e'er the cost;
Revenge the lives of brother s lost!

ELIZABETH ELEANOR ROBERTS.

Springfield, Ky., May 16, 1898.

Odds and Ends of Gossip.

THE HOLT WILL CASE—The Holt will case, in which some local interest was felt on account of the part taken in it by Mr. C. C. McChord, of this place, who represented Miss Lizzie Hines, has been decided again. The dicision this time is from the U. S. Court of Appeals and affirms the opinion of the lower court, which was to the effect that the famous document which turned up so mysteriously and which named as beneficiaries Miss Hines and the Throckmortons, was not the last will and testament of the late Joseph Holt. Mr. McChord, who, as attorney for Miss Hines, together with the attorneys for the Throckmorton's, prosecuted the suit through one court, effected a compromise for Miss Hines after the dicision of the lower court. The other parties decided, however, to take an appeal, with the result of receiving another defeat. The termination of the case proves that Mr. McChord did the proper thing at the proper time in getting out of the case and securing for his client a very handsome sum on the compromise as her claim in the case.

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THE BOYS IN CAMP—Quite a crowd of men went from here Sunday on the excursion to Lexington to visit the encampment of the Kentucky volunteers. The principal interest to those who went from here, of course, was to see the Washington county boys who had enlisted with Company K, of the first regiment. There were twenty boys to go from here who succeeded in landing at the Lexington camp, and the most of them, so their friends from here say, appear to be pleased with the soldier life. Three of the dissatisfied ones came home with the crowd Sunday night. The physical examinations take place this week and it is possible that others of the number will be thrown out and be given a chance to return. The boys say that camp life appeared pretty rough at first, but they thought they would soon get used to it. The food is wholesome and plentiful and the quarters at the encampment have been made fairly comfortable. Will Reed has been made first lieutenant of the company and is well pleased with his job. The boys say they have no idea when they will be moved to the front, but some are beginning to believe, as did Admiral Schley, that the inaction will kill them.

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NOT OVER-CROWDED—Later developments indicate that there is not that pell-mell rush to enlist in the Kentucky volunteers threatening to over-crowd the ranks which one was led to believe existed at first. Since the encampment began at Lexington there have been calls for recruits from this place, coming from the captains of the Lebanon, Bardstown and Harrodsburg companies, as well as from the Louisville Legion companies. The examinations throw out a good many and quite a number of the companies went on without a full quota of men.

BUILDING—Springfield is experiencing quite a boom in the building business. Quite a large number of small houses and cottages have been finished and are in the course of erection this spring, and several new handsome dwellings will be built during the summer. Hon. John W. Lewis has purchased the lot at the corner of Main and Cross streets and will begin very soon the construction of a fine brick and stone residence; Mr. John Lily Barber is having plans made for a handsome residence to be put on his lot in town recently purchased from Dr. Saunders; Mr. W. T. McElroy, who lives at the edge of town, will soon begin tearing down his old house and replace it with a handsome modern structure, and Dr. W. W. Ray contemplates building a new house on the lot adjoining the house he now occupies. These are indications that people have good faith in Springfield as a town that is rapidly coming to the front.

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IMPROVEMENTS—Speaking of building up the town, it is a very good thing to see nice residences going up in the town. It adds to the beauty of the place and makes the town look homelike and pleasant, but the thing that adds more to the advancement of a place as a business point is the building of manufacturing concerns. Springfield has only a very few manufacturing enterprises and it should have more. It would be a good point for the location of small manufacturing enterprises of various kinds. The thing is to invite capital here, and that is best done by advertising the advantages of the place and offering inducements to concerns seeking a location. As was suggested in this column several weeks ago, a commercial club would do some good for the town in this way and we believe it would be a popular thing if the local business men will just get together and start the club.

The Mortality Record

would be greatly reduced if every home were supplied with a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. The great lung stacngthener and exterminator of coughs and colds, croup and kindred affections. All druggists sell it at 15c. No cure no pay.

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It ought not to be in any neighborhood that when a good milch cow is wanted it is necessary to go out on a still hunt and investigate a dozen before one is found suitable. He who sets about intelligently breeding a high graded lot of milkers for the trade will build wisely.

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As the estimate heretofore made by the agricultural department of the tobacco crops for current years has proven so inaccurate, the department has omitted from their reports any estimate for the 1897 crop, and announces that it is not probable that another estimate will be attempted before 100.

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Plaudit, the Derby winner, had a second race last Wednesday with Lieber Karl in the contest for the "Clark Stakes," at the Louisville Jockey Club grounds. Although ten pounds were added to Plaudit's weight he won the race with ease. The distance was one and one-eighth miles, which he covered in 1:56½.

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W. E. Merkley bought of parties in Campbellsville 1,000 bushels of wheat at $1.05 per bushel; also 800 bushels from J. B. Honaker at $1.10. This is the highest price paid for wheat this year in this county. Mr. Merkley shipped this and three other carloads to Chicago, where he expects to sell it at $1.89 per bushel.—Lebanon Enterprise.

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Mr. J. T. Crenshaw, of Lexington, Ky., writes that "Monte Donna," the great prize winner, by Monte Cristo, Jr., was sold last week for more money than mare sold in Lexingston for many months and possibly for many to come. This mare won more money in 1897 as a three-year-old than any other in Kentucky, or possibly any two. Sold to M. A. Judy, West Lebanon, Ind. Farmer's Home Journal.

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With a well stocked farm there is a home market for a good supply of roots, and if any are grown for marketing by the bushel, the home market may well take the place of any other when the price is low. Turnips and beets are best for hogs, and are especially good for breeding sows, before and after farrowing. For horses, carrots are prime. Always have something to make a variety in the feed.

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It is probably not generally known that the great meat packing establishment of the Armour Packing Company, Chicago, is also one of the largest shippers of dressed poultry in the country. With them quality and condition regulates the price almost as much as the market price. Persons shipping them noting but the choicest poultry, in good condition, always get a few cents more than those who send in poorer and less carefully selected birds. Quality and condition always pay and richly rewards for the extra care it takes.

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The effect of hostilities between the United States and Spain was a sharp advance in the price of army mules. Until recently army officers had no difficulty in securing an abundance of mules at prices ranging from $71 to 198. Conditions of travel in Cuba are such that pack trains are necessary. Within the last week bids for mules have been asked for and the replies included only one lot of 600 at the highest usual market price of $98. The other offer of mulds seemed to indicate a combine, for they ranged not very far from $138. All the bids were rejected and officers sent to Tennessee and Kentucky to try the markets.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Condition of Crops.

Commissioner Moore's latest crop report says:

The acreage of corn is estimated at 89 per cent of the average of 1897 acreage. In the eastern and southeastern sections it is 84 and 91 per cent of the acreage of 1897.

The month has been unfavorable for planting and less than 25 per cent of the crop was planted prior to May 1st. The weather was unfavorable for germination and it is apprehended that the stand obtained from the early planting will be poor. Twenty two per cent of 1897 was in hands farmers on May 1st. On same date of 1897, 25 per cent old crop was on hand.

Preparations for a large crop of tobacco are being pushed as rapidly as the season will permit. The damage to plants by the freeze of April 5th and 6th was not so great as was at first indicated. The supply of plants was in the first place so abundant that the small percentage of loss will have no appreciable influence on the acreage. In the western section the loss was but 7 per cent. In the central section it was 18 per cent. Some complaint is made that the plants are not growing as they should.

$5.00 REWARD!

Strayed from my place Monday, May 2, a young pointer dog, about two-thirds grown: white with liver colored ears and a spot on rump.

I will give a reward of Five Dollars for the return of the dog.

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MARION NEWS.

From the Enterprise.

Clifford, three years old, son of Mr. J. N. Wilkinson the night watchman, was bitten last week by the family dog which gave signs of hydrophobia. The dog was killed. Last Saturday Clifford was taken to St. Mary's and the mad stone owned by Mr. Charles Cecil applied to the wound. It adhered one hour and a half. At intervals the stone was taken off and soaked in warm water. During this process a substance was emitted by the stone which gave the water a greenish caste. Since the application of the stone, the swelling in the child's thumb has gone and relief effected. This mad stone is a queer little instrument and many things have occurred which make it a wonder. It has saved persons from death, and Mr. Cecil, its owner, states as a proof of its genuineness that on one occasion a mad dog had bitten a cow and a boy. The cow died, and the boy to whom the stone was applied recovered and is healthy and sound today.

Last January, Jack Owens, better known as "Jack the Ripper," was held under bond to answer an indictment in the Marion Circuit Court, charged with "gaming." Captain Sweeney, Commonwealth's Attorney, being merciful to Jack, agreed to set aside the indictment on condition that he would leave Lebanon and never return. Jack willingly agreed to the conditions of his release and took his departure. In the meantime, Capt. Sweeney, at the head of Company C has joined the volunteers to fight the Spaniards, and Jack, after a three months' leave of absence, and growing tired of his seclusion, concluded to set aside his conditions under which he was set free from the indictment, and accordingly "hit" Lebanon again last Monday. Tuesday he bought a ticket for New Haven, and also an accident policy for $3,000. When near Loretto, Jack some how or rnother fell off the train and was badly bruised up, in fact was "all done up." He was brought back to Lebanon by the first south bound freight and his injuries examined by Drs. Knott and McChord. At present he is doing well at Bricken Hotel, and will doubtless be ready in the near future to go on the road again.

THE WAR NEWS

That we have to announce is that the NEW STORE of.....

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has made a war on prices and are enabled to quote lower figures than others who buy on long time and ask big prices.

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AMERICAN PRINT	3½c worth	5	SUITS	$ 6.00 worth	8.50
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STEEL RIVER PERCALES	7½c worth	10	LADIES' FINE SHOES	1 09 worth	2.75
FRENCH ORGANDIE	12½c worth	17	LADIES' SHOES	1 25 worth	1 60
TOWELS, per pair	10c worth	20	LOW CUT SHOES	1.65 worth	2.25
SHIRTS, all sizes	20c worth	25	MEN'S FINE VICI KID cloth uppers	2 95 worth	3.75
SUSPENDERS	15c worth	25	VICI KID, leather uppers	2.90 worth	3.75
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Also Bargains in Misses' and Children's Shoes.

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Wonderful Case of Deformity.

There is a wonderful case of deformity in this county near the Pulaski line, writes a Lincoln county correspondent to the Harrodsburg Sayings. A ten-year-old son of the late Joe Eubanks has only stubs about two inches long where his arms ought to be, and on the end of one of these is just one finger, which is right in the center of one of the stubs, or short arms. No other sign of fingers. He is an exceedingly bright child and can write with his toes remarkably well. He handles the knife and fork dexterously with his feet when eating and in every way makes makes his feet perform what hands generally do, when a fellow happens to have them. He can pick up pins from the floor with his toes quicker than you or I. His hale and hearty and apparently enjoys life as thoroughly as though he was blest like other children, instead of being handicapped as he is, without arms and hands. Comparatively few people in this county have seen him, as a mother's love protects him from idle curiosity. Prior to this child's birth his father was engaged in rolling logs and got his arms so badly mashed that amputation was necessary. The wife of his bosom witnessed the preparations of the physicians for the operation and became considerably agitated about her husband having to pass through such a trying ordeal, with result as above stated.

If your child has thin, pale cheeks, uncertain appetite and unrestful sleep, it has worms, and curing with strong medicines only makes conditions worse, by irritating its delicate stomach. White's Cream Vermifuge is mild but certain in effect, and is a superior tonic as well as positive worm destroyer. Haydon & Robertson.

One on Major Owens.

A Lexington dispatch to the Louisville Times says:

"The Georgetown boys are raw recruits, but they are a manly set of youngsters and have the making of good soldiers, it would seem."

Anent the above the following good story on Major W. C. Owens, in command of the Georgetown boys, is going the rounds. When Major Owens landed in Lexington with his Spaniard-killers last Friday he lined them all up at the depot and after marching up and down the line two or three times to see if every man was in his place, he gave the command, "Right, about face" But to his surprise not a man made a motion. Thinking perhaps his voice had not been loud enough to be heard he again gave the order in more vigorous tones But still not a motion made his men. This was too much for Major Owens and raising himself up to the full height of his commanding person he yelled in exasperated and thunder tones. "Gee, you damn fools!" With that the boys turned in the right direction and proceeded to march to camp as innocently as though the ignorance displayed had all been on the part of their gallant commander.

Have You Kidney Trouble?

A 50c trial bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent serious results from this usually fatal disease. Haydon & Robertson.

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E. L. DAVISON, JR.

THURSDAY, MAY ,19 1898.

WAR BULLETINS.

Spaniards in Cuba are said to be determined to die rather than yield to the United States.

No Spanish warships were sighted at St. Pierre, Martinique, Tuesday. The Terror is still at Fort de France, as is also the Alicante. A Spanish warship is reported to be in the Dominican channel.

An officer of the English cruiser Talbot, recently at Havana, says food is plentiful at very high prices and the sanitary condition of the city is most serious.

The volunteers will be rushed to the points of mobilization as fast as they are mustered in. Seventy thousand men are now moving.

The second regiment will be the first Kentucky troops to leave the state and it will go to Chickamauga as soon as mustered in. The work of mustering in proceeds slowly and Louisville Legion will be the last to be examined. It will probably be several days yet before the work of examination begins. All of the troops will move af fast as they are mustered in. It is not known yet whether the first will go to Washington or Chickamauga, but Col. Castleman is urging that the men be sent where they will be in the thickest of the fight.

A special from St. Louis says: Capt. Duval, of the United States Commissary Department, has made a contract with local bakeries for 610,000 pounds of army crackers. This is equivalent to 20,000 barrels of flour. On each will be printed the words "Remember the Maine." Besides the big contract for hard bread, Capt. Duval has let a contract in the city for 28,000 gallons of vinegar.

A special from Danville says over twenty-two thousand soldiers have passed through that city enroute south since Saturday night. They go by in lightning express trains, averaging thirteen cars to the train, each carrying about 700 men. Nine or ten more trains are to pass today.

An engagement between ships of the blockading squadron and Spanish gunboats has occurred of Caibarien but the result is not known.

Active preparations are being made to resist the invasion of Cuba, and from reports received from reliable sources it is evident that Blanco is making good use of the time given him by the delay of American invasion.

Spain has ordered all available vessels converted into auxiliary cruisers.

ANY of those patriots who may have been disappointed at not getting the chance to get to go and fight for their country, will probably be given an opportunity to appease their appetite in the near future. The President is considering advisibility of issuing another call for volunteers and a bill giving him authority to make a second call is being framed. The call may be for 50,000 or it may be for 200,000. These volunteers would be held as a reserve force to be used if larger armies should be necessary for the occupation of the Phillippines and the Antilles. The danger of foreign complications is said to be the chief motive for this movement as it is believed that such action would have a good influence in Europe.

Is your hair Green?

It's only another way of asking, Is your hair growing? For green means growing. You can MAKE hair grow by using

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THE war situation just at present is complicated and the Spaniards have us guessing. That Spanish flying squadron, whose whereabouts have been a matter of much speculation of late, still refuses to be definitely located, and shows no inclination to allow either Sampson's squadron or Sebley's to take a shot at it. Many are the expert opinions on the probable future movements of the Spaniards. They say that the Spaniard has all to lose and nothing to gain by fighting either Sampson or Sebley unless he can get a portion of one of their fleets separately. The Spaniard is swifter than any fleet of ours that could prove a match for him. In his voyage from Martinique to Cura Coa he averaged 16 knots an hour, while Sebley cannot make 13, nor Sampson 10. Hence the Spaniard can avoid a battle unless he willingly places himself between our fleets. By his mere presence in the Caribbean sea or in Atlantic waters, he prevents any invasion of Cuba or Porto Rico until he has been beaten, and he retains the power either to break the blockade at any time and land supplies in Cuba, or he forces us to keep our heavier ships on blockade duty, and prevents them from attending to other work.

The Spanish fleet is now supposed to be in the Caribbean south of the Mona passage between Porto Rico and San Domingo. Sampson is in the Windward passage between Hayti and Cuba.

It looks like it is the Spaniard's game to gain time either to give another fleet a chance to come over and attack our Northern coast cities, or with the hope that some other European power will become involved.

In spite of the uncertainty about the naval movements the administration, it is given out, has about decided on an invasion of Cuba with a large army. It is not probable, however, that the movement of military forces on an extensive scale will begin before a week. In the meantime preparations will be rushed with all possible speed and the mustering and mobilizing of volunteers will proceed with rapidity. A large army has already arrived at Chickamauga and every train brings more. As soon as the forces under Sampson, Schley and Watson are together there will probably be an exchange of vessels and the arrangement of a real flying squadron composed of the armored cruisers New York and Brooklon and a number of the protected cruisers and recently acquired yachts which have been converted into gunboats. The problem of how to force the swift and powerful Spanish fleet to a contest with an American fleet that would have a chance to win is now being considered. Neither Sampson nor Schley could force a fight, as the Spaniards are fast enough to run away from either of the squadrons as now constituted. As the situation now appears the end of the war looks a long way off and the Spaniards may yet give us all the trouble we are looking for.

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN is about to get into the fight after all. Gov. Holcombe of Nebraska has authorized him to raise a regiment of state troops, which will be offered to the government with Mr. Bryan as colonel, in case there is another call for volunteers.

WM. E. GLADSTONE, the grand old man of England, is dying. He is not expected to live more than a few hours.

Unfortunate People

are they who while suffering from kidney diseases are prejudiced against all advertised remedies. They should know that Foley's Kidney Cure is not a quack remedy, but an honest guaranteed medicine for kidney and bladder troubles. Haydon & Robertson.

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THE Young Men's Christian Association will place a tent in each of the three regiments of the Kentucky volunteers and carry on its work among the soldiers. The expense of this work will be borne entirely by voluntary subscriptions. It is estimated that $1,000 will be needed for the equipment and maintenance of the work in the three regiments for six months. Contributions in any amount are requested to be forwarded at once to the Army Committee, Kentucky Young Men's Christian Association, Fourth and Broadway, Louisville, Ky. All the churches, young people's societies and other religious organizations in the state are requested to observe Sunday, May 22d, as "Soldier's Day," and to take up a generous collection for the army work of the Association.

OLD man Gomez, the Cuban leader, is by no means idle while Uncle Sam is preparing to call off the oppressor. He with his small band of insurgents has defeated the Spanish near Cienfuegos and captured the Jucaro trocha.

THE Weed, the tobacco paper published at Louisville, sagely remarks that "the few bright days of the past week have given the Kentucky farmer an opportunity to plant tobacco, and where the plants were large enough some planting has been done." Now we don't publish a tobacco paper, and we don't pose as authority on tobacco in any way, but it has been our humble observation that the tobacco growers of Washington county, at least, prefered anything but "bright days" for tobacco planting. In fact, there is a lurking suspicion in our mind that the best time to plant tobacco is when the ground is wet and the day is cloudy. The editor of the Weed should try his hand at "tendin' a crop" one year before telling his readers how it is done.

Whooping cough.

I had a little boy who was nearly dead from an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did not think that any medicine would help him, but after giving him a few doses of that remedy I noticed an improvement, and one bottle cured him entirely. It is the best cough medicine I ever had in the house. —J. M. Moore, South Burgettstown, Pa., For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zanesville, O., suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Waters & Browne.

Volunteers and the Militia.

The militia have been subjected to quite a storm of criticism from some quarters because they were not unanimously in favor of responding to the President's call for volunteers. The obligations incurred by a militiaman are primarily to repress insurrection and repel invasion. They are obligations for the fulfillment of which he is responsible to the state that clothes and arms him. It is in a secondary sense and for purposes purely defensive that the federal government may call upon him as a militiaman.

That this is clearly understood is proved by the President's proclamation. It was a call for volunteers, not a constitutional requisition upon the militia, and each militiaman who responded did so in his individual capacity, wilfully abrogating the conditions under which as a militiaman he had agreed to serve.

The objection to which various regiments have given voice that in losing their regimental identity for the purpose of volunteering they would also be losing sight of the conditions governing the allegiance to the state and thereby furthering a purpose foreign to their organization seems to us, in certain cases, well taken. Without doubt it is the duty of a militiaman to stand ready to volunteer at his country's call, but he should not be expected to doff, in a moment, the uniform of the state he serves and which may require his services at home, as long as there are thousands of able-bodied men willing and anxious to enlist as volunteers.

On the other hand, the dissatisfaction that seems to obtain in some regiments when called upon to serve under regular army officers is not only indefensible, it is wholly subversive of the true spirit of discipline and loyalty. Distinction should therefore be made between the regiments which did not volunteer from motives manly and sufficient and those which stayed at home because of petty jealousy or mistaken pride.—Collier's Weekly.

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"For my own part," said the doctor, with a shrug, "I would prefer not to be shot at all, whether in the heart, head, lungs, liver or brain, and yet I have taken note of many cases recently in which persons have sustained gunshot wounds of supposedly fatal character who are still alive and going about their business."

The doctor and his companion were passing a down town museum when the conversation took this turn. Among the freaks pictured and caricatured in front of the building was a man with a ragged bullet wound torn through his heart—which organ was vividly exposed in the flaring daub—while the angel of death was hovering over him, ready to snatch him away at any moment.

"Then," said the doctor's friend, "a shot or a stab in the heart is not necessarily fatal, as it is understood by modern surgery?"

"Not at all," returned the doctor. "But, of course, we are not speaking of wounds as big and terrible as the one in that museum picture. That is apparently even worse than the thrust received by Mercutio—looks about as deep as a well and as wide as a church door. No man who has been wounded like that ever survives more than a minute.

"That man in the museum is alleged to be Charles B. Nelson, who was mysteriously shot one evening while in the company of Mrs. Edith Marguerite Staples in Washington park. The shooting occurred on a night five months ago, and the man with an ounce of lead in his heart is still alive. Whether he sleeps well and has a good appetite I am unable to say. He was formerly a cyclist of some note. Nelson's breast was subjected to the X rays, and, according to sciographs which were made at the time, the bullet lodged in the septum of the heart—the fourfold partition of muscular fiber that divides the interior of that organ into right and left auricles and ventricles. There it has continued to throb up and down about 100,000 times a day ever since that mysterious shooting, and at every pulsation refuting the old theory of medical science that the touch of hostile metal to man's heart brings death.

"The most skillful and daring surgeon on earth, if he were asked to remove the bullet from Nelson's heart, would shake his head in the negative. So this man must carry his leaden handicap as long as life shall last. Seems strange, doesn't it?

"And yet, notwithstanding what I have said, we have surgeons nowadays who do undertake and carry to a successful conclusion operations on the heart. This is done by opening the pericardium, for example, in cases of dropsy of the heart, and drawing off the fluid by aspiration. A man may have his heart punctured with the point of a knife or a needle and still recover from the injury. It used to be held that wounds of this character were invariably fatal. But a wound of the heart is not necessarily fatal, as is shown in the case where a needle was removed by Callender from the substance of that organ. Cases of like nature have been reported by Drs. Hahn, Agnew, Steiner and others. More than 50 cases where rupture of the heart walls did not result in immediate death are reported by Dr. D. J. Hamilton, a well known Scotch surgeon and pathologist.

"The case of Poole, a prizefighter, was one of the most remarkable. Poole was shot in the heart while engaged in an encounter with a man named Baker, in New Jersey, in 1855. To all outward appearance he recovered rapidly and in four days felt so well that he expressed a wish to finish the interrupted contest. Twelve days later, however, he suddenly dropped to the ground. Within five minutes he was dead.

"More remarkable still, perhaps, are the numerous injuries to the brain and spinal cord, which on first view would be pronounced fatal and yet from which the wounded persons recover. At Valparaiso, Ind., a man named Herbert J. Fish while in a fit of temporary insanity put a .38 caliber bullet through his brain, and at last accounts he was still alive and apparently getting well. The bullet, by all accounts, passed through the right and left anterior hemispheres of the brain, lodging finally in the posterior bone wall of the left eye socket. In its course the ball destroyed a large amount of brain matter. At the same time it cut the optic nerves of both eyes, destroying the sight. In some way the sense of smell, too, was destroyed.

"Many Chicagoans will remember a tragedy at the Briggs House in this city several years ago, in which a man who was shot in the brain got well. J. S. McDonnell, a well known veterinary surgeon, and his wife were boarders at the hotel. It was in August, 1887. One day there was a great uproar and excitement over a shooting affray in the apartments of the McDonnells. In the quarrel McDonnell was shot by his wife, the bullet entering the side of his head in the parietal bone above the ear and penetrating the brain. Within the next 48 hours the ball was removed by Dr. Liston H. Montgomery, and the wounded man got well. The wife at the same time shot herself in the head, but her injuries were not serious. Old time doctors used to pronounce wounds like that of McDonnell's fatal in every instance and made very little effort to save the patient. Brain injuries are most serious and most often prove fatal when they occur near the base of the brain.—Chicago Tribune.

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THE Bevil Palmer Post, No. 215, G. A. R. will hold memorial services at Springfield and St. Rose on Monday, May 30, Decoration Day. Several prominent speakers, including Rev. R. E. C. Lawson, Rev. Father Flood and Hon. John W. Lewis, will deliver addresses. The ceremony of decorating the graves at St. Rose will take place in the morning and in the afternoon services will be held at the Springfield cemetery. Everybody is invited to attend and bring flowers. The members of the Post are requested to meet at the lodge rooms in Springfield on Monday, May 23, at 1:30 p. m. The members are also requested to assemble at the rooms at 9 o'clock a. m. on Memorial Day.

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REV. J. T. BROWN, of Louisville, will preach this Thursday evening at the Baptist church. Rev. Brown is a well known minister of the Christian church, and is editor of the Apostolic Guide. He has preached in Springfield before.

CIRCUIT COURT is in session at Bardstown.

LOST—On Saturday, May 14, between my house and the residence of Mr. Kent Marks, a pair of buggy traces and a breast collar. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to me.

J. G. MANSFIELD.

TWENTY men of the Bardstown company failed to stand the physical examination by the U. S. surgeons at Lexington, and in consequence the officers of the company are out hustling for recruits.

G. W. PETERSON, Mannsville, Ky., will have sixty (60) head of mixed cattle on this market next County Court day.

HAVE the flies begun to trouble you yet? If so, now is the time to get rid of the nuisance. Sammie Clements, of Clements & Mayes, can put you in fly screens on short order that will effectually shut them out.

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MISS MARY L. KELLEY and Mr. W. H. Duncan were married yesterday evening at 6 o'clock at the Pleasant Grove church, Rev. Overstreet performing the ceremony. Mr. Duncan is a well-known and prosperous young farmer of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. Nick Kelley and is an attractive and popular young lady. The NEWS-LEADER extends congratulations.

THE first examination of white teachers for the public schools will be held on next Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21.

THE ice cream supper given by the young ladies of the Dorcas Society on last Friday evening passed off pleasantly and while the attendance was not as large as it should have been quite a neat little sum was realized.

HAYDON & ROBERTSON, the enterprising druggists, have had their store newly fitted out with modern shelving, show cases, and the latest improved fixtures until it is now one of the best arranged drug stores in the country.

THE annual hop at Tatham Springs, which announces the regular season's opening of that popular resort, will take place on Friday evening, May 27. The Tatham hop is always a popular social event, and the management announces this year that nothing will be lacking to make it a success. Some of the best society people in Harrodsburg, Lawrenceburg, Danville, Springfield and other neighboring towns have been invited.

P. S. BARBER, one of the wide awake young farmers of this county, brought to this office the other day, a bunch of bluegrass that for size will equal, we venture to say, any produced in the famous Bluegrass region of the state, or anywhere else for that matter. The grass which had gone to seed measured just four feet six inches in length. Mr. Barber also had some white clover measuring one foot four and a half inches. The grasses were grown on Mr. Barber's fine stock farm, Valley View, three miles from Springfield on the Bloomfield pike.

JOHN M. TURNER, a young man about eighteen years old, who lived with his mother in the Willisburg neighborhood, was adjudged a lunatic in the County Court on Monday last. The young fellow has taken up the idea that he is millionaire, and would spend his time writing checks of large denomination and giving them to his friends. He was considered a bright boy until his recent affliction came on. Sheriff Powell left with him Tuesday for Lakeland Asylum.

THE Chatauqua circle meets next Monday evening, May 23, with Miss Hadgie Browne. The following is the program: Roll call quotations from Browning; sketch of Browning, Mr. Pugh; "Ravenna," Miss Kate Mayes; John Thiss, Miss Jennie Craycroft; Outline of the study of literature in Rome, Mrs. Will R. Thurman; The Knights Templar Miss Hadgie Browne; sketch of history as it is made in Chatauqua, Miss Mary Browne.

And They Came Back.

FOUR of the boys who went from here and enlisted with company K of the Louisville Legion, and went on to Lexington with the regiment there to await the call to arms and glory, have come back to home and friends. Their names are Bob Campbell, Frank Noe, Jim Greene and Oscar Trent, and they left the regiment and shook the dust of the camp from their feet, very quietly and without saying good-bye to any of the superior officers or comrades. In fact, subsequent developments indicate that the manner of leave taking may result in putting the boys in a very bad attitude, and Col. Castleman is quoted as saying that he will have them back even if he is compelled to resort to extreme measures. They have not been mustered in the United States service, but had enlisted with the State Guards, and while they cannot be charged with desertion from the U. S. service, they are responsible as State militiamen. Mr. Pat Tobin, who was in Lexington Tuesday, says that Col. Castleman is a good deal worried at the way the boys have acted, and says that he will give them reasonable time in which to return, and then if they do not show up he may send for them. He says that the least that he can do under the circumstances is to give them dishonorable discharges.

MAPLE HILL.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Mr. John Milton Sales and Miss Viola May Carney were married at the home of the bride's grandmother Mrs Martha Carney, at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, May 11. Rev. Richard Sales, father of the groom, performing the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of the late Henry Carney, and is a beautiful young lady with a sweet disposition, which makes her extremely popular. She is also an accomplished musician, and an artist of more than local fame. The groom is a prosperous young farmer of the Litsey neighborhood. After the ceremony the bridal party accompanied by Miss Lisy Reddix, Miss Edna Crouch, Miss Ora Smothers, Miss Ollie Hardesty and Miss Ora Carney, and Messrs. Lee Baxter, Will Snyder, Laf Carney and Fred Grigsby repaired to the home of Rev. Sales, where a table laden with all the good things that heart could wish for awaited them. Thursday morning Mr. and Mr. Sales left for Grayson county on a bridal tour. May they have much happiness, health and prosperity is the wish of your humble scribe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore gave an ice cream supper Saturday evening in honor of Miss Lizzie Seay, of Davies county. Grigsby Bros string band was on hand and all was as happy as a marriage bell.

Memorial services will be held at Rockbridge, May 30. Prof. J. B Secrest, of Central Normal College, has been invited to deliver an oration.

Rev. W. T. Eklar, delivered an eloquent discourse to a large audience at Mt. Zion Sunday morning. His subject was "The Model Church." Brother Eklar has been our pastor for four years, and we regret that this is his last year.

Messrs. Wallace Seay and Thaddeus Cheatham are expected home from college this week.

Mr. W. C. Grigsby and wife, of Springfield, spent Saturday and Sunday here.

PERSONAL.

—Chas. R. Robertson was in Lebanon, Tuesday.

—Robert Mattingly, of Lebanon, was over Tuesday.

—W. D. Claybrooke was in Lebanon the first of the week.

—Mr. F. M. Campbell was in Louisville Sunday and Monday.

—Mr. Wilson Greene left the first of the week for a visit to Louisville.

—Leo F. Brown, of Lebanon, was here Sunday on a visit to relatives.

—Hamilton Robertson was at home Sunday from his school at St. Mary's.

—Miss Ollie Crouch, who has been visiting friends here, returned to Lebanon Sunday.

—W. F. Booker and Bob Noe came in Tuesday from Tatham with a good string of fish.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Davison, of Louisville, are visiting relatives and friends here.

—Mrs. A. H. McChord and Miss Bettie Irvine returned Tuesday from a visit to friends at Danville.

—Col. and Mrs. Nicholas McDowell of Danville were here the first of the week on a visit to relatives.

—Mrs. W. H. Leachman returned Friday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Archie Hays, at Louisville.

—Mrs. A. C. McElroy and Messrs. John I. and Emmett McElroy left last week for a visit to relatives in Kansas City, Mo.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. Scott Mayes and H. R. Thompson left Tuesday for Maysville, where they will attend the state encampment of the DeMolay Commandery Knights Templar.

—Charlie Noe was among the crowd that went from here Sunday to pay a visit to the encampment at Lexington. Charlie says that in his opinion the boys are faring well in camp, and some of them are a great deal better off where they are than at home, for there they are made to work, obey orders and go to bed an an early hour at night.

—Mr. W. S. Colvin, of this county, and one of our regular subscribers, paid this office a visit yesterday. Mr. Colvin is a veteran of the Civil War, and was blown up with the steamer Sultana on the Mississippi river and had a miraculous escape from death. Mr. Colvin's account of that memorable event was published in the NEWS-LEADER about a year ago.

POLIN.

From our Special Correspondent.

Messrs. Will Yates and Rastus Trent were in Lawrenceburg visiting relatives last Monday.

Messrs. Sam Vanfleet and George Russell were in Harrodsburg last week.

Mrs. Mary Hughes, of Willisburg, passed through here Sunday on her way home after a pleasant visit with her sister at Chaplin.

The ice cream supper given by Mr and Mrs. Wm. Moore on Saturday night was highly enjoyed by a crowd of young folks.

Mr. Charles Semones, of Harrodsburg, passed through here Saturday enroute to Maple Hill.

S. H. Bishop and wife and Miss Nora Bonta were in Louisville last week.

Little Marjorie Lyddane has returned home after a three weeks' visit with her sister Mrs. Arthur Eddleman, in Louisville.

Mrs. Bettie Gootley and little Bertha, of Early Times, spent Thursday with Mrs. J. A. Bishop

Miss Ora Troutman and Mr. Robert Crumes, of Booker's, attended church at Mt. Zion, Sunday.

Enterprising Druggists.

There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than Haydon & Robertson, who spare no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all affections of the throat chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and $1. Guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

MACKVILLE.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Mrs. John Darnell, of Lexington, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Paris Peter.

Rev. Penn failed to keep his regular appointment Sunday, having been called to Lexington to preach his aunt's funeral.

Mrs. Demaree and sister Miss Lula Trent visited relatives near Springfield, Monday.

Several of our young people attended services at Deep Creek church Sunday, it being show day.

Bro Cheek, wife and daughter have been in our midst several days paying respects to friends.

Mrs. Fannie McMullin and Miss Lilla Warren spent Monday in Harrodsburg.

Mrs. Mat Wycoff and Miss Minerva Raybourne are visiting relatives in Louisville and Shelbyville this week.

Rev. Couch, of Bardstown, filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday morning.

Mr. Jim Arnold and family of East Texas, visited relatives in our town last week.

Mr. Ike Arnold, our enterprising blacksmith, has accepted a position as drummer for the Deering Machine Company.

Mr. Leslie Mayes, wife and daughter of Stewardsville, spent Sunday with his parents.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SPRINGFIELD KY.

At Springfield, in the State of Ky. at the close of business, May 5, 1898.

NO 1767.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$141,437 77
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		2,947 58
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		37,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc		9,910 00
Banking house, Furniture & Fixtures		7,000 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		56 08
Due from State Banks & Bankers		249 67
Due from approved reserve agents		614 20
Notes of other National Banks		40 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		52 73
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK VIZ:		
Specie	$11,200 00	
Legal-tender notes	2,000 00	
		13,200 00
Redemption fund with U S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		1,687 50
Total		$214,709 53

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$50,000 00
Surplus Fund	10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,443 39
National Bank notes outstanding	33,750 00
Due to other National Banks	1,990 80
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,585 93
Individual Deposits subject to check	91,873 06
Time Certificate of Deposit	10,110 35
Notes and bills rediscounted	3,291 06
Liabilities other than those stated above	5,656 09
Total	$214,709 53

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, ss:

I, A. C. McElroy, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. McELROY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1898.

J. A. BOCKWARE, N. P. W. Co., Ky.

CORRECT—Attest:

F. M. CAMPBELL,
JOHN W. LEWIS, } Directors.
B. L. LITSEY.

C. W. Hagan,

THE GROCERYMAN,

Would have you know that he handles

ICE.

Good, pure artificial ice which he will sell at 50c a hundred pounds at the store or he will deliver it at your door at 60c per hundred in any quantity.

He also keeps a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries and Fresh Country Produce.

MAIN STREET,

SPRINGFIELD, KY.

War's Bonds of Union.

War's bond of union exhibits notable phases in the United States. Northern soldiers march through the South and cheer the not long ago hateful Dixie and mingle with its inspiring strains the cheery hurrah of Yankee Doodle. No longer a line between North and South. Hardly two years ago theorists on the money question sought and to a certain extent waged a war between the rich and poor. Free silver fought sound money as if gold were a despot. We hear little of it now—no dividing lines between the yellow metal of the East or the white metal of the West. Loyalty has destroyed the factional differences.

The sons of the rich the scoffed at "curled darlings" are enlisting beside the hardy and horny handed, the mechanic, the miner and the ranchman. There have been jeers at Theodore Roosevelt because he left the society swim of the East to lead his cowboy fighters, his rough riders of the frontier, into the conflict. This incident establishes more fully the complete democracy of America. Here is a mingling of the parlors and the plains! Look at the combination, the make up of Roosevelt's Rough Riders—cowboys who knew him when he ranched in the West, mounted policemen who served under him when he was Police Commissioner of New York, and his friends of the Knickerbocker club and expert polo players, Reginald Ronalds, Woodbury Kane, Craig Wadsworth, Louis Tiffany and others, heretofore denominated "dudes." They were shining lights at yachting, polo and dancing—and they were put down as snobs and unworthies. But they have gone in elbow to elbow with the rough voiced but big hearted cowboy of the West.

It all goes to show that all the good or the weakness does not exist in polished society. Chivalry can have a shine and yet be brave. It shows that the diamond in the rough young man is yet a true man and worthy the affiliation in its place with his carefully groomed fellow of the college and drawing room. Great is war's bond of union.—Louisville Commercial.

Sweat will not discolor goods dyed with Putnam Fadeless Dyes. These dyes are guaranteed to be absolutely fast to sweating and washing. 10 cents per package. Sold by Waters & Browne.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

THE MARKETS.

The following table represents the prices paid for farm products in Springfield by the dealers therein. It is corrected up to 12 o'clock Wednesday, but is subject to variations thereafter on private advices from Louisville dealers:

Wheat, per bu	1 06	to	1 05
Corn, per bu	35	to	40
Oats, per bu	30	to	35
Rye, per bu	50		
Clover, per bu	2 00	to	2 25
Timothy, per bu	1 35	to	1 50
Orchard Grass, per bu	75	to	90
Hay Timothy, per cwt	50		
Hay Clover, per cwt	40	to	45

LOUISVILLE MARKETS.

CATTLE.

Report furnished by the Louisville Live Stock Journal, 211 West Main Street, Louisville, Ky.

Extra shipping	$4 50a4 75
Light shipping	4 50a4 75
Best butcher steers	4 35a4 65
Fair to good butcher steers	3 75a4 25
Common to med. butcher steers	3 65a3 90
Thin, rough steers, poor cows and scalawags	1 25a2 25
Oxen, good to extra	3 50a4 00
Oxen, common to medium	2 50a3 50
Feeders	4 00a4 65
Stockers	4 00a4 75
Bulls	2 50a3 60
Veal Calves	5 75a6 00

MILCH COWS.

Choice milch cows	$35 00a45 00
Fair to good	15 00a25 00

HOGS.

Choice packing and butchers, 225 lb to 300 lb	4 10
Fair to good packing, 180 lb to 200 lb	4 10
Good to extra light, 160-180 lb	4 00a4 10
Fat shoats, 130-160 lb	3 60a3 90
Fat shoats, 100-120 lb	3 40a3 60
Pigs, 60 to 90 lbs	2 75a3 25
Roughs, 150-400 lb	2 50a3 40

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Good to extra shipping sheep	3 25a3 50
Fair to good	3 00a3 25
Common to medium	2 00a3 00
Bucks	2 00a2 50
Skips and scallawags, per head	50a1 00
Extra spring lambs	5 50a6 00
Best butcher lambs	4 25a4 75
Fair to good butcher lambs	3 75a4 25
Tail-ends	2 50a3 00

PRODUCE

Report furnished by Herndon-Carter Co., General Commission Merchants, 313 Murrell Court, and 110 Third Street, Louisville, Ky.

EGGS—Steady; Fresh, rehandled, 9a9½c.

BUTTER—Market firm. Best grades 15a16c, choice stock 13a14c, packing 10a11c.

POULTRY—Market steady. Chickens hens 6a6½c, roosters 3a3½c, spring chickens per doz $2a$4; geese full feathered, per dozen $3a3.50, plucked, per doz $2a2.50, turkeys alive, 6c, turkeys dressed 8a10c, ducks per per doz. $1.75a$2.25.

BEANS—Michigan hand picked $1 20a1.40, new home 1.10c to $1.25.

HIDES—Green, salted, 8a8½c, dry salt, 10a12c, dry flint 15a16c.

FURS—Raccoon, Nos. 1 to 4, 10a70c, mink Nos. 1 to 4 20a80c, skunk, prime black, 70a80c, short stripe 50c, narrow stripe 20a40c, broad stripe, 15c; opossum 5a15c, muskrat 5a20c, red fox 50a$1.25, gray fox 20a50c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Sorghum molasses 22a25c per gal., beeswax 24c per lb., clover seed $2.75a3.25 per bu., onions 2.75a3.00 per bbl., rags 50a60c per cwt.

—FEATHERS—Prime white goose 33a34c, gray mixed or old 20a30c.

ONION SETS—Red and yellow 4.50a5.00, white as to quality 6.00a7.00.

DRIED APPLES — New sundried, active demand 2¼a3c.

IRISH POTATOES—Home grown new crop, 2.10a2.25 per bbl.

WOOL—Best 19a20c, burry 15a18c, tub-washed 29a30c, black clear 17a18c; black burry 14a16c.

GREEN APPLES—Market higher and firm. Fancy 3.00a4.00, choice 2.50a3.00, common 2.00a2.50.

HAY AND GRAIN — Best hay, strictly fancy, per ton 70a10.50, straw, per ton 4.00a4.50, ear corn 34a35c, shelled corn in bulk, 34a35, feeding oats 33a35c, wheat No. 2, 98a98c.

TOBACCO MARKETS.

The following are the revised quotations as prepared by the Quotation Committee of the Leaf Tobacco Exchange at Louisville for this week.

1897 CROP.

RED BURLEY.

Trash (green or mixed)	3 50	to	5 00
Trash (sound)	5 00	to	6 00
Common lugs	6 00	to	8 00
Medium lugs	8 00	to	9 50
Good lugs	9 50	to	10 50
Common leaf (short)	9 50	to	11 00
Common leaf	11 00	to	12 00
Medium leaf	12 00	to	14 00
Good leaf	14 00	to	17 00
Fine and selections	17 00	to	22 50

COLORY BURLEY.

Trash (green or mixed)	4 50	to	4 00
Trash (sound)	5 00	to	7 00
Common lugs	6 50	to	7 50
Medium lugs	7 50	to	9 00
Good lugs	9 00	to	11 00
Common leaf (short)	9 00	to	10 00
Common leaf	10 00	to	12 00
Medium leaf	12 00	to	15 00
Good leaf	15 00	to	17 00
Fine and selections			20 00

Take Notice

OF THESE

Special Bargains.

We are now offering IRISH LAWN 40 inches wide 6 1-2c yard worth 15c. Mattings 15½c worth 15c.

NEWEST CARPETS at last season's prices, which is 15 per cent less than they cost now. Bargains in Lace Curtains. Come in and see them

Shopping Is Easy at Our Store

Because you have the largest stock to select from. We have plenty of light you can see what you are buying. Well ventilated, will make you comfortable when in our store. You can't buy the wrong thing because we have nothing but the right things at the right prices. We at all times guarantee our prices to be as low as any other house in America for same quality of goods. We are offering some special bargains for next few days in Carpets, Mattings, Wall Paper and Lace Curtains. We bought our carpets and mattings before the advance and will give you benefit of same.

We have the largest stock of Neglige Shirts in town. We have them at prices to suit everybody. Take a look at our immense display in show window.

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INSURE YOUR PROPERTY

—WITH—

John I. McElroy, Agent.

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A BUSINESS EDUCATION

is absolutely necessary to the young man or woman who would win success in life. This being conceded, it is of the first importance to get your training at the school that stands in the very front rank—the

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Write for beautiful book giving testimonials from graduates occupying prominent positions all over the United States—it will be mailed FREE.

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New and elegant bath tubs, with all modern improvements. Hot and cold water. Baths at all hourse 25 cents. Call and try one......

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We sell coal at the LOWEST CASH PRICE.

Come in and let us show you our new wheel....

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A strictly high-grade bicycle in every respect and selling at the extremely low price of....

$40.

Come in and examine the wheel and let us show you the good points about it that others of higher price do not possess....

THOMPSON & LAKE,

SPRINGFIELD, KY.

The glorious battle of Manila has clearly demonstrated to the world that the American hog is not the typical American citizen. It has shown that this country not only can fight but that it will fight for the loftiest purposes and with the most calm and determined heroism. It has shown the world, too, that we do not merely from passionate hatred or revenge, but that when we slay the enemy we regretfully lay his body to rest, and when we wound him, compassionate hands tenderly bind up his lacerated frame.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

G. R. Harmon,

THE LIVERYMAN,

Has on hand for the summer season the BEST rigs in town. Fast and safe horses and reliable drivers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION given to commercial men. Livery connection with the Springfield Hotel.

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B. Minorcas, direct from Northup; none better.

$1 00 for 15.

Pekin Ducks; pen headed by pair from Rankin; weight 21 lbs.

$1.00 for 13.

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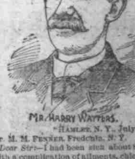
A Great Sufferer—Could do no Work.—Other Kidney Medicine Failed.



MR. HARRY WATTERS.

"HAMLET, N. Y., July 9, 1896.

Dr. M. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y.

Dear Sir—I had been sick about 8 months with a complication of ailments, chief among which was Kidney complaint. Had lame back, pain and soreness across my kidneys. Had been confined to my bed much of the time and had been able to do no work.

I had taken 4 bottles of another kidney cure, highly recommended, but it did no good. Finally I procured a bottle of your Kidney and Backache Cure, and commenced taking it.

I immediately began to improve. A second bottle completed the cure and now I am as well as ever."

For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

OPIUM and Whiskey Habits cured at home without pain. Book of particulars sent FREE. B. M. WOOLLEY, M.D. Atlanta, Ga. Office 104½ N. Pryor St.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

PITCHER'S
CASTORIA
for Infants and Children.
The Fac-simile Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.
Appears on Every Wrapper.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

On Lonely Ship Island.

Twenty miles, more or less, from whence the pretty villas of Biloxi look out upon the Mexican Gulf one may see across the shining waves upon a clear day a strip of land faintly defined against the horizon. This is Ship Island, the scene of a chapter of unutterable misery in the late war, unrelieved by any touch which might serve to make a soldier's life or his death memorable or glorious.

It was a March morning in name, in reality a lovely day in June when we, a party of thirty, set sail from Ship Island from "B'loxy." We packed the little schooner quite full with ourselves and kodaks, bottles and cushions. Just as we left the wharf a big porpoise rolled tail over head alongside, showing his shining fat sides in lazy luxury. He knew he was quite safe, for were there not much better fish than he everywhere along shore? Melting red snapper, trout and mullet, not to speak of delicate shrimp and toothsome oyster. And can not fat crabs be caught with a string and a bit of meat, or even with one's fingers? Well we are going to Ship Island at the rate of a foot a minute. It is so still the sails hang quite limp, not a ripple wrinkles the glassy bay and the sun beats down as in a midsummer day in Minnesota. Presently, however, a cool breeze begins to fill the sails, the old Captain bestirs himself and by the time we are in blue water and abreast the shrimping grounds opposite Beauvoir (the home of Jefferson Davis), the wind is singing through the sails and we are merrily "bounding over the waves." In another hour a cold "norther" has taken the place of the summer morning and stormy clouds now overcast the blue skies of the early hours. We began to be cold and hungry and here the shawls and blankets became useful. Coffee was made and boiled over the charcoal furnace of the cook. Cold ham and hard-boiled eggs, sandwiches and potted meats, cakes and ale, pickles and baked beans, and all the indigestibles usual upon such occasions were brought out and soon disposed of.

Meantime Biloxi is sinking, with all its bravery of greenery, into the horizon, Pass Christian is fading into dimness, Ship Island is showing the outline of Fort Massachusetts at its western extremity and a few desolate houses with the sandy shores are visible. Several English, German and Norwegian ships are anchored in the harbor waiting for coasting vessels to bring their cargoes of Georgia pine to carry across the sea. As we passed one of these the crew gave us a rousing cheer, to which responded with waving handkerchiefs and hats. I suppose the poor fellows were glad enough to see human beings in this dreary waste of waters. By good management the Captain landed us at a wharf built in war times. It was almost falling to pieces, its timbers rotting and its floors no less. How we ever managed to get up to it and over it is more than I can tell. Here is a little light-house and a cottage for the keeper and his wife. Another small house for the custodian of the fort—one woman and two men forming the entire population of Ship Island. From what we saw we think it all that the place could support. Desolation is the name of Ship Island. Not a tree, shrub, vine, flower or blade of grass is to be seen. Three or four old houses built in war time and propped with sticks and the great fort are all we see, except the black and moaning ocean, over which just now a dark pall of clouds is brooding against which the white wings of the screaming sea birds are sharply defined, while afar off gleam the ruffled crests of the coming storm.

The old soldier who opened for us the massive doors of Fort Massachusetts was glad to see us. It was a pleasure to him to hear the voices of his fellow-beings. He would accept no fee for his services. Government gave him $60 a month and that was quite enough. His predecessor in office was found dead on the shore, having fallen from the pier in a fit and been drowned. Imagine the condition of the survivors when one of the three people here is taken from life. Sixty dollars a month is not too much after all.

This fort was built after the war. It has never been used. The corridors are clean swept. Piles of cannon balls are never disturbed, the guns never loaded, and the huge cannon on the ramparts stands grim and silent. There is no sound of human voices except when the rare visitors like ourselves come across the waters. Grass grows upon the rampart and inside the court and a few sweet blossoms of some tangled vine give us a fragrant welcome.

Like the retired officers who are offering themselves for service in our present war, these forgotten and neglected forts may come into use. Ship Island was considered by Gen. Butler a vantage point for New Orleans. So again it may be used, perhaps by the Americans to guard the approach to the city.

L. A. S.

Bad Blood Is a Good Thing

to be rid of, because bad blood is the breeding place of disfiguring and dangerous diseases. Is *your* blood bad? It is if you are plagued by pimples or bothered by boils, if your skin is blotched by eruptions or your body eaten by sores and ulcers. You can have good blood, which is pure blood, if you want it. You can be rid of pimples, boils, blotches, sores and ulcers. How? By the use of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

It is the radical remedy for all diseases originating in the blood. Read the evidence:

"Ayer's Sarsaparilla was recommended to me by my physician as a blood purifier. When I began taking it I had boils all over my body. One bottle cured me."—Bonner Craft, Wesson, Miss.

"After six years' suffering from blood poison, I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and although I have used only three bottles of this great medicine, the sores have nearly all disappeared."—A. A. Manning, Houston, Texas.

Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment gives instant relief. It allays inflammation and heals. It is prompt in its action and positvie in its effect. It the kind that cures with pain or discomfort. It is for piles only. 50c. Tubes 75c. sold by Haydon & Robertson.

The Farmer Was Fixed for Him.

A well-to do Georgia farmer invited a merchant friend to dine with him. The merchant was known for his crankiness and had once or twice tried to shoot people for imaginary wrongs. The farmer had considerable business dealings with him and they were on the best of terms. However, the farmer always kept a wary eye on him. Several days after the dinner at the farmer's house the merchant said to him: "I can't account for the queer feelings and impulses I have occasionally. For instance, the other day when I was dining at your table it suddenly came into my mind to kill you. I had a pistol in my pocket at the time and once I had my hand on it, when the strange feeling passed from me!" "Don't let that bother you," said the farmer. "I knowed all about your failin's in that line an' I wuzn't asleep when I saw your hand to your hip. My son John wuz standin' in the hallway back of you with a shotgun leveled at you an' you jist did save your bacon by changin' your mind. Ef you hadn't he'd er blowed daylight through you!"

To consumptives.

As an honest remedy, Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advance stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. Haydon & Robertson.

After the late Senator Stockbridge, of Michigan, who was at heart a man of plain tastes, had invested nearly half a million in a house and fine furniture, he said one day to a friend that he wished he had a parrot. "A parrot!" replied the visitor. "A parrot, Stockbridge! What on earth do you want with a parrot?" "I'll tell you, Jim," said Stockbridge in a whisper so low that the ladies in the next room should not hear it. "I want a parrot to sit on a perch over that door and say every time I come in: 'here comes that—fool that built this shanty.'"

The Successful Remedy for NASAL CATARRH

must be non-irritating, easy of application and one that will by its own action reach the inflamed and diseased surfaces.

ELY'S CREAM BALM combines the important requisites of quick action and specific curative powers with perfect safety to the patient. This agreeable remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. All druggists cheerfully acknowledge that in it the acme of Pharmaceutical skill has been reached. The most distressing symptoms quickly yield to it. In acute cases the Balm imparts almost instant relief.

By Absorption.

Catarrhal sufferers should remember that Ely's Cream Balm is the only catarrh remedy which is quickly and thoroughly absorbed by the diseased membrane. It does not dry up the secretions, but changes them to a limpid and odorless condition and finally to a natural and healthy character.

The Balm can be found at any drug store or by sending 50 cents to Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St. New York, it will be mailed.

Full directions with each package.

Cream Balm opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays inflammation, thereby stopping pain in the head, heals and protects the membrane and restores the senses of taste and smell. The Balm is applied directly into the nostrils.

Coolness.

In one of the Eastern Kentucky counties a few years ago a man was to pay the penalty for murder by death on the gallows. Just as the noose was about to be slipped about his neck a circus procession was heard coming and turning to the sheriff he requested that the festivities be postponed for a moment in order that he might see the procession and his request was granted. The doomed man climbed up to a window, eagerly watched the elephant and the painted wagons file by and then notified the sheriff that he was ready, apparently satisfied. This instance of coolness was equalled only by that of Admiral Dewey's in stopping the battle of Manilla in order that his men might eat breakfast. And Dewey and his men returned to the fight as if they had only stopped work in the field or in the shop. Where would you find a similar instance of coolness and who, except Admiral Dewey, would thought of such a thing at such a time?—Ex.

That Dreadful Cold

that fearful cough—a danger signal. It is sapping the vitality from your lungs. Today a bottle of Dr. Bell's PineTar Honey will cure it, tomorrow it may be too late. This remedy will cure a deep-seated cold or a serious cough, and give strength to the lungs. All good druggists sell it.

It is a very hopeful sign of the times in old Kentucky that notwithstanding the absorbing interest which affects the public mind on the subject of the war with Spain there is yet enough aggressive enterprise in the state to furnish a large and enthusiastic attendance upon the Commercial Convention at Louisville. However, no man can tell just how great was the drawing power of that fine banquet billed for Thursday night.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

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M. Taine, the brilliant French lecturer and critic, says the Louisville Times, frankly admits the superiority of the Anglo-Saxons over his own countrymen, and undertakes to account for it. He attributes it to certain racial and climatic influences and to diet; and, strangely enough, he considers diet the most potent influence of all.

The Latins eat light meals, consisting of thin soups, fish and only a small proportion of meat. The Anglo-Saxon fills himself with heavy soups and substantial roasts of beef or pork. When he has his fill he is sluggish and sleepy. He has no disposition to wander out on the boulevards, to sip absinthe and coffee at cafes or divert himself at pleasure booths. He sleeps long and soundly, and nothing steadies one's nerves and cools the brain like sleep. The delicate tissues that have been ruptured or disturbed by worry or mental activity have time to reknit and recover their normal action. The mind rests, and is ready for renewed exertion. It is refreshed and reinvigorated.

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Many old soldiers now feel the effects of the hard service they endured during the war. Mr. Geo. S. Anderson, Rossville, York county, Penn., who saw the hardest kind of service at the front, is now frequently troubled with rheumatism. "I had a severe attack lately," he says, and procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It did so much good that I would like to know what you would charge me for one dozen bottles. Mr. Anderson wanted it both for his own use and to supply it to his friends and neighbors, as every family should have a bottle of it in their home, not only for rheumatism, but, lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises and burns, for which it is unequalled. For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

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is as necessary as a broom for the house. For in the blood accumulate the germs of disease which, if not swept away, become manifest in boils, blotches, sores, ulcers, eruptions, eczema, tetter, and like diseases, that flay the flesh and scar the skin.

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OF ALL DISEASES

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